

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
	09/879,981	COVINGTON ET AL.
	Examiner Marc R Filipczyk	Art Unit 2171

All Participants:

Status of Application: _____

(1) Marc R Filipczyk.

(3) _____.

(2) David R. Schaffer.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 19 March 2004

Time: 11:45

Type of Interview:

Telephonic
 Video Conference
 Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

none

Claims discussed:

2-21

Prior art documents discussed:

none

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

Examiner has conducted a telephone interview with David R. Schaffer on March 19, 2004 wherein the Applicants elected Group I, claims 2-14 with traverse.

Part III.

It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



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